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10 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
11 FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
12 SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

13 CENTER FOR BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY,) Case No. 08-1240-EMC
14 KENTUCKY ENVIRONMENTAL)
15 FOUNDATION, and SIERRA CLUB,)
Plaintiffs,)
v.)
RURAL UTILITIES SERVICE, a federal agency)
within the United States Department of Agriculture,)
Defendant.)

20 CONSENT TO PROCEED BEFORE A UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

21 In accordance with the provisions of Title 28, U.S.C. Section 636(c), the undersigned
22 party in the above-captioned civil matter hereby voluntarily consents to have a United States
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1 Magistrate Judge conduct any and all further proceedings in the case, including trial, and order
2 the entry of a final judgment. Appeal from the judgment shall be taken directly to the United
3 States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit.

4 DATED: May 1, 2008.

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